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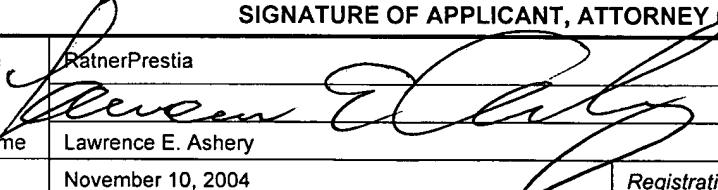
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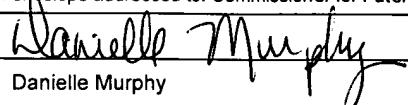
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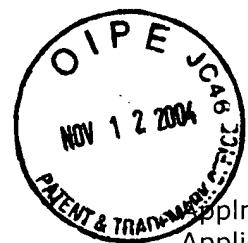
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Appn. No: 10/813,362
Applicant: Christian Mueller
Filed: March 30, 2004
Title: TEST HEAD POSITIONING SYSTEM AND METHOD
TC/A.U.: 2858
Examiner:

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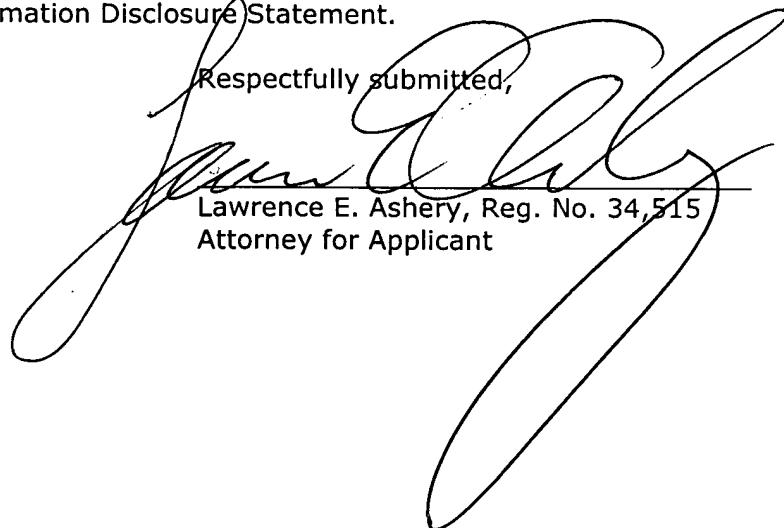
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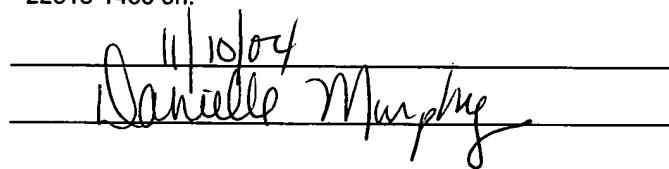
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